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REMARKS

The specification has been amended to delete a reference to Japanese Patent Laid-Open Publication No. Showa 63-42940. Upon review of the application as filed, Applicants found that this Japanese Patent Laid-Open Publication was not related to the invention described in the present application. No new matter has been presented by these amendments.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version with markings to show changes made.**"

Applicants respectfully request that the examination of the above-identified application proceed upon the entry of this amendment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees or credit any overpayment necessitated by this communication to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

In the Specification:

The paragraph beginning at line 12 of page 2 has been amended as follows:

The conventional technologies for providing plastic materials with transparency include 1) a method using transparent polycarbonate resin; 2) a method for providing transparent polymethyl methacrylate (PMMA) resin with impact resistance (United States Patent No. 3,787,522 and Japanese Patent Laid-open Publication No. Showa 63-42940); and 3) a method for providing high impact polystyrene (HIPS) resin with transparency (European Patent No. 703,252A2 and Japanese Patent Laid-open Publication No. Heisei 11-147920).

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